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(DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

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| ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER                                               |                           |                                |
| CASM127064                                                             |                           |                                |
| U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 C.F.R. 1.5)<br><b>10/567417</b> |                           |                                |
| INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.                                          | INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE | EARLIEST PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED |
| PCT/AU2004/001049                                                      | 6 August 2004             | 7 August 2003                  |
| TITLE OF INVENTION                                                     |                           |                                |
| STEAMING DEVICE FOR BAKER'S OVENS                                      |                           |                                |
| APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US                                              |                           |                                |
| Paul Eaton WILLETT                                                     |                           |                                |

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information by **Express Mail**:

- X   1. This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 37 U.S.C. 371.
- X   3. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
- X   4. The US has been elected (Article 31).
- X   5. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
- X   a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
- b. has been communicated by the International Bureau.
- c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6. An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).

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- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
- \_\_\_\_\_ a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
- \_\_\_\_\_ b. have been communicated by the International Bureau.
- \_\_\_\_\_ c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
- \_\_\_\_\_ d. have not been made and will not be made.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

**Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 11. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 1.98.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
- X   13. A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed. Please enter the Preliminary Amendment prior to calculation of the filing fee. The "Amendments to Claims" section adds 3 additional pages to the application, bringing the total number of pages to 21.
- X   14. An Application Data Sheet under 37 C.F.R. 1.76.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 15. A substitute specification.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 16. A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 C.F.R. 1.821 – 1.825 is transmitted herewith in printed and computer-readable formats. The paper and computer-readable copies of the sequence listing are the same and do not contain new matter. Entry of the sequence listing into the application is requested. The paper copy comprises \_\_\_\_ additional pages.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 18. A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- \_\_\_\_\_ 19. A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- X   20. Other items or information:
- X   a. Copy of International Search Report
- X   b. Copy of Written Opinion of the ISA
- X   c. Copy of Form IB/PCT/304 (showing receipt of certified priority document)

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| The following fees are submitted:.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |              |                                                                                      |         | <b>CALCULATIONS</b>    |    |
| 21. _____ a) Basic national fee ..... \$300                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |              |                                                                                      |         | \$300                  |    |
| 22. _____ b) Examination fee                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |              |                                                                                      |         | \$200                  |    |
| If the written opinion prepared by ISA/US or the International preliminary examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) ..... \$0.00                                                                   |              |                                                                                      |         |                        |    |
| All other situations ..... \$200.00                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |              |                                                                                      |         |                        |    |
| 23. _____ c) Search fee                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |              |                                                                                      |         | \$400                  |    |
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| Search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) has been paid on the international application to the USPTO as an International Searching Authority ..... \$100.00                                                                                                                |              |                                                                                      |         |                        |    |
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| <b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |              |                                                                                      |         | \$900                  |    |
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| Surcharge of <b>\$130</b> for furnishing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(h)).                                                                                                                  |              |                                                                                      |         | \$                     |    |
| CLAIMS                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER EXTRA                                                                         | RATE    |                        |    |
| Total claims                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | 18 - 20 =    | 0                                                                                    | x \$50  | \$0                    |    |
| Independent claims                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 3 - 3 =      | 0                                                                                    | x \$200 | \$0                    |    |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |              |                                                                                      | + \$360 | \$0                    |    |
| <b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |              |                                                                                      |         | \$900                  |    |
| _____ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.                                                                                                                                                         |              |                                                                                      |         | \$                     |    |
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| <b>TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |              |                                                                                      |         | \$900                  |    |
| Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). <b>\$40</b> per property.                                                                                       |              |                                                                                      |         | \$                     |    |
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- X a. Check No. 168828 in the amount of \$ 900 to cover the above fees is enclosed.
- X b. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

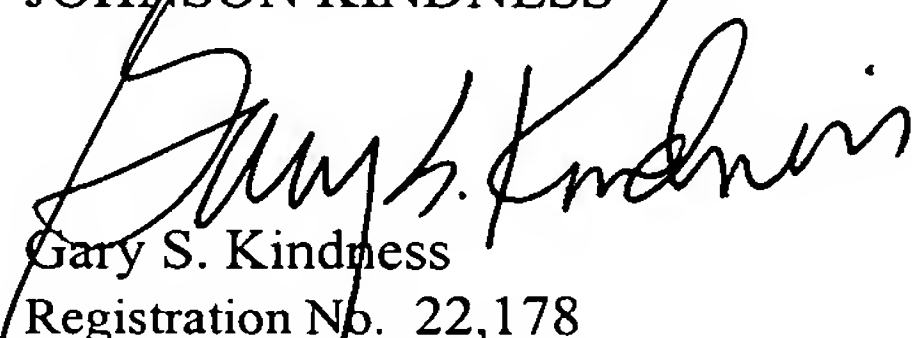
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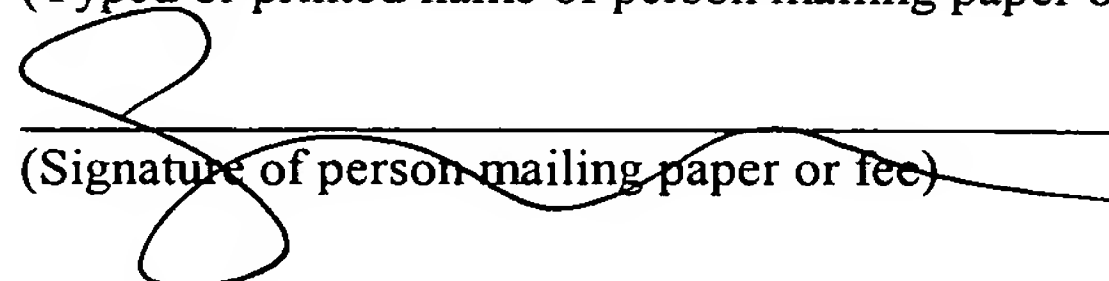
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